

## House Resolution No. 2944

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

**Whereas**, Ryan Potts of Sedalia, Missouri, was found worthy to distinguish himself as an Eagle Scout upon completion of all requirements for that prestigious rank; and

**Whereas**, Ryan, a member of Boy Scout Troop 61, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved fixing a damaged roof at Trinity Lutheran Church; and

**Whereas**, during his years in Scouting, Ryan mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the required number of merit badges and Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

**Whereas**, Ryan demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Senior Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, and Guide for his troop's hike on the Appalachian Trail; and

**Whereas**, Ryan developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending summer camp at Camp Hohn, completing the Challenging Outdoor Personal Experience project, and going on a High Adventure trip to the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness; and

**Whereas**, Ryan is a sophomore at Smith-Cotton High School, where he has also enjoyed recognition as a member of the Honor Roll and the National Junior Honor Society:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Ryan Potts for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Ryan Potts.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Todd Smith  
District No. 118

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2944, adopted May 15, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker